Introduced by Assembly Member Alejo

February 20, 2014

An act relating to undocumented workers.

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AB 2014, as introduced, Alejo. Undocumented workers: work permits.

Existing provisions of federal law regulate immigration, including the employment of aliens. Under federal law, state laws regulating immigration are generally preempted.

This bill would declare the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that would require the Employment Development Department to administer a work permit program for undocumented persons, upon the state receiving the necessary authority under federal law.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: no. State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. It is the intent of the Legislature to enact
- 2 legislation that would require the Employment Development
- 3 Department to administer a work permit program for undocumented
- 4 persons in California, upon the state receiving the necessary federal
- 5 authority.